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Mental Health Provider Rate Update

At the December 16, 2010 meeting of the Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board, the Board reduced the rate of payment for mental health interns.

The Board set the following mental health interns at the rates listed below:

- Psychologist Assistant
- Supervised Psychology Intern (University Hospital or Medical School Clinic)
- Supervised Postdoctoral Trainee (University Hospital or Medical School Clinic)
- Marriage and Family Therapist Intern
- Associate Clinical Social Worker

Type of Session	Rate Effective 1-1-11
Individual/Family	\$75 per session hour
Group	\$30 per session hour

These rates are effective for dates of service and applications received on or after January 1, 2011. Please note this change is effective for applications received on or after January 1, 2011. Therefore, all applications beginning with **A11**-XXXXXXXX that have services provided by interns prior to January 1, 2011 will have the new reduced rate applied.

If you would like more information about the rate change please refer to the <u>Consideration of Modifications to Reimbursement Rates for Medical and Mental Health Services, and to Mental Health Session Limits</u> document for details.